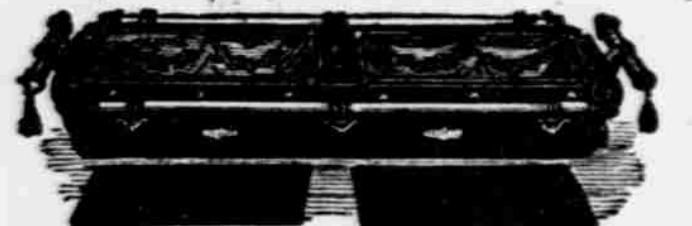


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**WEEKLY BAZOO.**

SEDALIA, MO.

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1885.



**WEATHER REPORT.**

Corrected daily for the BAZOO by C. G. Taylor, Horologist and Optician, No. 108 Ohio street, for the twenty-four hours ending at 9 o'clock p. m., June 13, 1885.

TIME	TEMP.	BAR.	WIND.	WEATHER
7 am.	73	9.8	SW	Clear.
9	90	9.4	S	Hazy.
9 pm.	60	9.5	SE	Rain.

Extremes 60 and 90.  
1 1/2 inches water fell in 1 hour and 20 minutes.

#### Notice to City Subscribers.

All patrons of city circulation will be called on once a month for amount due and if they fail to pay, delivery will be stopped without further notice. No exceptions will be made to this rule.

SEYMOUR SELOVER,  
City Circulator for BAZOO.

#### BAZOO BUZZ.

—Jacob Zuz's wife left for St. Louis yesterday called there by a dispatch stating that her brother was dead.

—Rev. W. T. Gill, of Otterville, has taken charge of the Central hotel on the corner of Sixth and Ohio. Under his careful management the house will be a favorite resort for all.

—Information was received in the city yesterday of a rough and tumble fight at Houstonia on Friday. The fight resulted in a few sore heads and some substantial fines imposed by the justice.

—Officers McGhee and Golden found the door of Ewart & Brigham's store open last night, the spring lock having failed to catch. They made a detour of the building and found everything all right, and going out locked the door after them. Merchants should be more particular about doors on going home for the night.

—About two months ago John Grimshaw, the jolly express messenger of this city, lost a dog. It was a valuable one, one that could hunt all day without turning a hair or stopping to breathe. John mourned for his dog unceasingly, and vowed he would "have the blood of the man who stole him." To his surprise he happened to look out of the car a few days ago and saw him standing on the platform at Houstonia. It was then ascertained that the "dog" was a smart one and that he had been traveling up and down the road in search of his master. Yesterday his dogship was brought home and John went word to all of his friends, and they had a general jubilee.

—McClellan leads in Wall Paper. 6-16w4t

#### LETTER WRITING.

How the Innocent are Trapped by the Pernicious Habit.

"Did you see those two young ladies flirting with the two dandies in the depot?" inquired a gentleman of a BAZOO scribe last night.

"Yes, I noticed them."  
"Well, I will tell you a bit of history in connection with them. The young ladies are sisters and the daughters of a prominent citizen of Fort Scott. Some two years ago they conceived the idea of advertising for correspondents and did so. You noticed the youngest one wore a red ribbon upon her left shoulder. That is the first visible fruit of the advertisement. She got a correspondent who pleased her and they have kept up their letter writing ever since, but without meeting. The other one has some dozen correspondents, but has settled down on no particular one.

#### A FEW WEEKS AGO

the youngest one, however, arranged plans for a clandestine meeting with her lover, as she styles him, as he declined to visit her home openly. She took her sister into the secret and she agreed to aid her. The young ladies have friends and relatives in St. Louis, and they coaxed their parents into allowing them to pay them a visit. Having gained their consent a message was sent to the dummies to meet them in Sedalia and go with them to St. Louis. "His girl" was to wear a red ribbon as a badge of recognition. Once on the train they fell into company with the fellow who escorted the oldest one to the train for St. Louis.

#### HE IS A DRUMMER,

a man of the world, and like all such men was not long in learning the distinction and weakness of the girls, nor very slow in passing him off as one of the many correspondents of the elder girl. The consequence was they were soon on good terms, and when the train arrived the drummer had made up his mind to find out what kind of company they were to have. This was easy, for "the lover," was about the first one seen when the train stopped here. The drummer, however, eluded him, and took the girls off the other side of the car. Passing round, he went to the waiting room where "the lover" soon came, but the drummer took the girls.

#### TO THE RESTAURANT

and got a lunch and coffee. "The lover" followed but the drummer kept him off until nearly train time, when he permitted him to make himself known, and by the time for starting, as you saw, the four were great friends. They are now on their way to St. Louis, and it is easy to guess what will be the fate of the silly girls in the great strange city. Their parents probably think they are safely and demurely wending their way under the care of the conductor, but you see how it is.

#### I AM A RAILROAD MAN,

and have seen many such cases, but I never saw any good come out of them yet, and I think the BAZOO ought to warn young girls against letter writing to strangers, and parents against permitting their daughters to travel alone. That the BAZOO holds the same opinion is evidenced by the fact that it has recorded the story and it leaves the moral and the remedy to be drawn by its readers.

#### The Deacon's Views.

Deacon Simeon Dinwiddie was met on the street last night just after he had left the post office. He had in his hands a copy of the Christian Advocate, the Office Seekers Gazette and a letter from Charlie Combs at Washington.

"Well," said the reporter you have just been to the postoffice, have you?"

"Yes," said the deacon. "It won't be long before I'll go to say there, because Grif. Prather says 'offensive paritanzism' must go," continued the deacon getting quite eloquent.

R—"Did you hear about the little scrapping match they had in the Southern Methodist church ranks?"

D—"Yes I learned it to-day at Jones' grocery where the church members met and swap stories and pass opinions on the acts of those who belong to other churches."

R—"Don't you think a preacher can have a 'scrap' as well as any one else if his toes are squeezed or he is insulted?"

D—"I think a man of God has no business to be a preacher of His word if he is either a moral or physical coward. Bully for Brother Browne if he is right."

R—"Then you believe in christians striking from the shoulder out, do you?"

D—"Most assuredly, and if the church people were all to strike that way I would have the Sedalia postoffice in a short time."

R—"Why, you don't want the church folks to make the postoffice fight for you do you?"

D—"I want them to help. The Christian Advocate will have an article next week urging my appointment on the ground of my peculiar fitness and because I 'need the office.'"

R—"Cleveland says the postoffices are not government soup houses."

D—"I don't want any soup. I want to serve my country in an official capacity."

R—"What do you think of the advisability of Prather Browne giving a full history of his trouble to the public?"

D—"As a lover of the Lord, as one who for nearly fifty years has been a praying man, I believe that if the fullest exposure of the whole matter was given—the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth be told, that it would be better for all concerned, and then the volcano would exhaust itself, peace would reign and the church suffer less."

R—"Just my idea. But what would you suggest that Parson Browne should preach about the first time he gets into the pulpit?"

D—"There is nothing inside of the lids of my bible which will fit his fiscal sermon better than the eleventh verse of the fifth chapter of St. Matthew, and then he'll be all right."

R—"Well, deacon, I'll leave you. You must come to hear the parson preach."

#### "Huckleberries."

The soldiers in the late war established the fact that the huckleberry was much more efficacious in chronic bowel troubles than the blackberry. Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial, THE GREAT SOUTHERN REMEDY, will restore the little child suffering from the effects of teething and cures Diarrhea, Dysentery and all bowel affections. For sale by all druggists at 50 cents.

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#### PERSONAL.

—Mr. W. L. Peck leaves on the 6 o'clock train to-day for Carthage.

—Hon. John T. Heard was a passenger to Warrensburg last evening.

—Ben. F. Meyer returned home yesterday, after a three weeks' absence.

—J. R. Wade, of Lamone, was in the city yesterday on a business trip and left for home on the evening train.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bighrill went to Kansas City to visit their daughter this afternoon.

—Joe Mayer has returned from Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and will remain home during vacation.

—The Sedalia juveniles had a theatrical performance at Wood's opera house yesterday. Seymour Mayer sang the Scaldan songs.

—A reporter called at Mr. Cain's last evening and found that gentleman quite well and getting along nicely. He is better than two dead men and will soon be out.

—W. R. Brunnock, of Pleasant Hill, was in the city yesterday and left on the evening train for his home. He says prospects are for the best fair ever held in Cass county to transpire this fall.

—County Clerk John W. Conner arrived home last evening from a two weeks' visit to friends in Kentucky. He is looking well and reports having had a splendid time in the blue grass state.

—Rev. John A. Brooks was in the city yesterday on his way home to Warrensburg after a two weeks' absence as a delegate to the supreme lodge, A. O. U. W., at Des Moines, Iowa, where he was elected supreme master.

—Mr. Frank Linley, of Booneville, arrived in the city last evening and will spend to-day with his relative, Mr. W. W. McNulty. He is en route to Kansas City, where he goes to accept a position with the Corlie cracker factory.

—John S. Landes, ex-alderman, left yesterday for Osceola, on a visit to his brother, Joe. People in St. Clair county will do well to keep their front doors locked as our John has gone there with a ravenous appetite for all kinds of good things. John likes strawberry shortcake and freckled eggs on toast.

—C. J. Raifeisen, formerly with Messrs. Ly & Meuschke, is now engaged with the new firm of Beck, Vitt & Company, where he will be pleased to see his former customers and hopes to have them call when he will take pleasure in showing them as fine assortment of dress goods, etc., as ever exhibited on a Sedalia counter.

—Messrs. Shockey and Loser, agents for the Texas Cactus Hedge company, have just returned from a canvassing tour through a part of Jackson county. They state that they made over \$20 per day. They say that in canvassing for this company it is just as easy to make on an average \$20 per day as it is to swap collars. They start out again Monday for the same field. They are to be congratulated upon their success.

#### Planter's House.

This hotel at Pleasant Hill is one of the oldest and best known in Western Missouri. J. P. Sparks, the accommodating and urbane proprietor, assisted by Chris, Dawson, the universal favorite, is always ready to make this house a pleasant home for the traveler. Be certain and stop at the Planter's.

#### Water Works Committee.

The following committee on Sedalia water works has been appointed by D. H. Smith, president of the board of trade: B. G. Wilkerson, Abraham Meyers, C. G. Taylor, Morris Harter, A. P. Morey.

#### Horseford's Acid Phosphate—Hundreds of Bottles Prescribed.

Dr. C. R. Duke, Belleville, Ill., says: "I have prescribed hundreds of bottles of it. It is of great value in all forms of nervous disease which are accompanied by loss of power."

#### Consolidating.

The train dispatcher's office of the K. & T. and Missouri Pacific roads were consolidated yesterday, the K. & T. offices having moved up stairs to the same rooms with the Missouri Pacific, and Roadmaster Rockwell's office being transferred down stairs.

#### About the Hallet and Davis.

Their distinguishing advantages are its peculiar richness of tone and extreme solidity of construction.—Abbe F. Listz. \* \* \* They are in every respect lovely instruments.—Robert Goldbeck. \* \* \* In sweetness, power of tone and solidity of construction leaves nothing more to desire.—Maurice Strakosch. \* \* \* Have never found one so entirely satisfactory in every respect.—F. Ziegfeld. \* \* \* The instrument is one of the most exquisite I ever played.—Prof. Dr. Theo. Kullak. \* \* \* Central Missouri Music House, 112 East Fifth street.

#### "ROUGH ON PAIN."

Cures colic, cramps, diarrhoea; external for rheumatism, headache, neuralgia, rheumatism. For man or beast, 20 and 50c.

#### THE COURTS.

**Justice Halstead Gets Through With the McKenzie-Wasson Case.**

**A Big Batch of Delinquents Before His Honor Snyder.**

#### POLICE COURT.

Mrs. Annie O'Brien and daughter, Lillie O'Brien, were before his honor yesterday charged with ways that are crooked. They bitterly denied the charges, and were given a continuance until next Monday.

"John Loftus," next called his honor. Mr. Loftus stood up.

"You are charged with being very drunk last night, what have you to say to the charge."

"I guess it must be a mistake. I went home and went to bed like a peaceable citizen ought to last night, but when I heard the breakfast bell this morning and got up I found I was in the calaboose."

"How do you account for that, Mr. Loftus?"

"I guess I must have walked in my sleep your honor."

"Well, I will excuse you this time. You can leave \$5 with Mr. Barnett to pay for your lodging in the calaboose and go."

Frank Heiden was the next to answer roll call. He is not a citizen of Sedalia, but came in on a visit. He took a drink or two with the boys, but not being acquainted with the strength of Sedalia bug juice, he got a little too much.

His honor held that ignorance of the quality of the intoxicants imbibed, like ignorance of the law, excused no man, and instructed the marshal to make out a bill for \$5 against Mr. Heiden.

Johnnie O'Brien had also been fooling around the cup that cheers until like a moth scorched in a candle he fell by the way side. Officer McGhee found him on the sidewalk in front of Myers lumber yard with a bottle of old bourbon in his pocket, and ran him in. O'Brien said he was not drunk but walking up the street on his way home when he was nabbed. Some of his friends stated they had taken him home and put him to bed, but he had got away and gone down town again. Several who came near falling over him and mistook him for a dead man corroborated the officers testimony however, and he O'Brien, was also charged up with \$5 worth of illegal fun.

Mary Jones, a dusky d-m-el, owned up to late hours and was assessed \$3.

Chris Prentice for displaying too much muscle and wind for the occasion, was next called up but demauded time which was granted him until Monday night.

#### HALSTEAD'S COURT.

The entire time of Justice Halstead was taken up yesterday in hearing the defense and argument in the McKenzie-Wasson riot case, which was in substance: only a repetition of that given in yesterday's BAZOO. The matter was given to the jury about 5 p. m. and they soon returned a verdict of guilty. Thomas Wasson, Sr., Thomas Wasson, Jr., James Wasson, Dick Wasson, Jesse Wasson, John Wasson, Rylind Wasson, Mal. Swope and T. W. Rogers were each fined \$5 and costs and Geo. Wasson \$1 and costs.

There is much bad blood existing in the neighborhood, however, and the chances are that serious trouble will yet ensue.

#### O'BRIEN'S COURT.

Isaac Smith was the only delinquent before his honor yesterday. He was charged with assault and battery upon T. T. Mullins. About fifty witnesses were examined and the case was long and tedious, ending in a fine against the defendant of \$1 and costs, in all about \$50.

#### Facts vs. Fancy.

Congressman James N. Burnes, of the St. Joseph district, is the kind of a democratic representative who does nothing by halves. St. Joseph wanted \$5,000 for a public building. Mr. Burnes procured an appropriation of \$300,000. And the beauty of it is that it is for a good, legitimate business purpose, and will be judiciously expended. Sedalia ought to have a post-office building.—S. Davis Democrat.

You can have one, and John T. Heard can get it for you. What John T. Heard can get for his town, his people, and his district, is not to be got by anybody. Sedalia, however, needs to hold up his hands, to be united, to be as one man when vital work has to be done, and to stand as a unit by everybody who stands by Sedalia.—St. Joe Gazette.

#### Sweet Gum and Mullein.

Very few realize that in the exudation they see clinging to the sweet gum tree here is a powerful stimulating expectorant principle, and in the old field mullein a mucilaginous one that is very healing to the lungs. These two principles presents in Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein a pleasant and effective cure for Croup, Whooping-Cough, Colds and Consumption. Sold by all druggists at 25c and \$1.00 a bottle.

#### Acquitted of Bigamy.

Herman, Mo., June 13.—Judge Seay arrived here yesterday from Union to hold a special term of the circuit court to try the case of the state vs. Flora Watson, charged with bigamy. The state failing to prove that defendant's first husband was still living, defendant was acquitted.

#### THUNDER AND TORRENTS.

The Heaviest Storm of the Season.

A Colored Man Struck and Horse Killed by Lightning.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon this locality was visited by one of the heaviest thunderstorms ever witnessed here. The rain came down in torrents, deluging the streets and overflowing the sidewalks in every direction in a few minutes, choking up the sewers, flooding the cellars and doing considerable local damage. The dark clouds rolled toward the northwest with a density indicating much severer results elsewhere.

#### THE NEW PEARL RIVER SEWER,

near Monmouth street and the railroad, soon became inadequate to carry away the surging floods that gathered and the sidewalks along Main and Monmouth streets, in that locality, were set afloat for the first time in the history of the city. The down pour continued for almost an hour and a half, and was followed about 7:30 by another heavy rain and thunder storm of less serious proportions. Exactly how much damage was done could not be ascertained last night but it will consist chiefly of water flooded cellars and bad washouts in the streets.

#### STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

About 5 o'clock the storm had reached its height and the thunder was terrific. At about this time the lightning struck the corner of Warren Galbreath situated on the streets of Main and Mill streets, tearing away half the roof, shattering the building, killing one very valuable animal priced at \$200 and badly shocking Peter Hurlburt one of the colored teamsters. Hurlburt had just arrived and unhitched his horses which had entered their stalls with their harness still on. As Hurlburt entered the stable at the east door

#### THE BOLT STRUCK

the east gable. One fork of the lightning passed diagonally across the roof, about twenty feet to the north center of the building, where it passed down to the ground striking and killing a large white horse belonging to Hurlburt's team killing him instantly and knocking down two other horses. The other fork passed down the east front of the stable until it passed the girder plate along which it passed to the northeast corner and thence followed the main plate until it joined the other fork where it entered the ground at the same place, having shattered the building and loosened the boards along its entire course. But for the fact of the lightning following the plate, Hurlburt who was almost directly beneath the first point struck, would have undoubtedly been

#### INSTANTLY KILLED

and a companion about three feet distant outside the building, who had just arrived and was unhitching his animals, would have shared the same fate. As it was Hurlburt was knocked senseless and a horse in the team outside was severely shocked, though his driver escaped unhurt.

#### THE INJURED MAN

was taken up as soon as possible and conveyed in a carriage to Fleischman's drug store where medical aid was secured and he was taken to his home. At last reports he was still in an unconscious condition, but the physicians who examined him expressed the opinion that he would recover though the full extent of his injuries can not be ascertained until he recovers consciousness or they develop otherwise.

#### SOUTH SEDALIA.

In South Sedalia the storm was accompanied by a severe wind which destroyed a number of trees, shrubbery and fences and blew down several chimneys besides frightening the inhabitants half out of their wits.

#### C. H. ELLIOTT'S

handsome residence on Thirteenth and O-ages streets was struck by lightning about 5:30 and considerably damaged. The fluid struck the east chimney and following the eave badly shattered the roof and cornice, allowing the rain to pour in its torrents much to the damage of the furniture and carpets. Up to 10 o'clock last night the rain was still coming down in torrents with but little sign of abatement, the third storm having flooded the streets to a great extent than any of the previous ones.

#### AT MIDNIGHT.

The storm had somewhat abated but the dark clouds, vivid flashes of lightning and distant constant roar of thunder all around the horizon, betokened the storm raging elsewhere with the chances of its early renewal here. That it was more or less severe at other points was evidenced by the fact that telegraph communication was badly broken or totally destroyed at various points of the compass. Among the mishaps reported by the wire in the early part of the evening, was the removal of the house of Mr. John Spidel in the south end of Washington avenue, some six feet from its foundation though the building was otherwise uninjured.

#### THE LATEST.

At 2 o'clock the clouds broke and scattered and the stars shone forth brilliantly, with the chances favorable for a clear Sabbath. The churches should be filled and all should give thanks that Sedalia escaped the fury of the storm which threatened to level the city to the ground.

#### Father!!

Your poor worried wife losing sleep night after night nursing the little one suffering from that night fiend to children, and horror to parents, CROUP, should have a bottle of Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein, an undoubted Croup preventive and cure for Coughs, Colds and Consumption. Sold by all druggists at 25c and \$1.00 a bottle.

#### Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, John Montgomery jr., executor of the estate of Thomas J. Montgomery deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such executor, at the next term of the probate court of Pettis county, Missouri, to be held at Sedalia in said county, on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1885. JNO. MONTGOMERY JR. 6-16w3t

—The "Bazoo" is the only paper in Sedalia receiving Associated Press dispatches.

#### FLEA BITES.

—It is said that Washington ladies are "all engaged in picking banjos."—Ex.

The above is a mistake, some of 'em are engaged in picking husbands.

—A monument is to be erected in Paris to the inventor of soda-water.—Ex.

It will probably be a fizz-le.

—It is reported that Mr. Gladstone recently bought one hundred hats in one day.—Ex.

The premier must be contemplating going into the hat trade, now that he is going out of the government business.

—A girl gets into a narrow glove by slight of hand.—Exchange.

Yes, and she gets out of a narrow glove sometimes by a slight of hand, that is when she says "no," to a would-be husband.

—A piece of lemon bound upon a corn will cure it.—Exchange.

It will eh, well we don't believe in treating a pesky corn to lemon aid.

Now Dr. Talmage airs the wrongs of women, scolding is or maybes, O doctor! why not pray the Lord To get us fewer female babies?—Exchange.

Or why, oh why not pray the Lord, Since female babies He will send That every one will wed when grown A man with lots of dimes to spend.

—A San Francisco society young man is making a collection of ladies' gloves.—Exchange.

A Sedalia young man is making a collection of mittens, so far he has been very successful.

—Never stand at the foot of the bed and look at the patient. While talking to him it is better to sit by the side of the bed, and as near the pillow as possible.—Exchange.

Good advice, by all means make yourself comfortable by sitting down to tell the patient of the many ills yourself and family have had to bear, etc.

—Is the colored race dying out?—St. Joseph Gazette.

Well judging from the outlook on circus days, we should say not.

—Elegant silverware is all right in its way, and so are elegant jim-cracks all right in their way, but the common necessities for housekeeping would be more appropriate as presents, when poor, plain plug people get married.—Fort Scott Monitor.

We would like to see a "plug people."

—However pleasant and luxurious the surroundings, the house with a baby in it is the home of squaller.—Ex.

It is, and the home of anarchy, as well